

UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE

and its partnership with the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children



- Since the passage of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, the Secret Service has provided forensic and technical support to NCMEC.
- In 2003, a revision to Title 18 USC 3056 authorized the Secret Service to provide investigative assistance in missing and exploited children cases when requested.
- The Forensic Services Division in the Office of Investigations manages the USSS/NCMEC liaison programs.

Forensic Support of Missing and Exploited Children

- The Secret Service provides forensic support to all Law Enforcement investigating any Missing or Exploited Child (MEC) cases.
 - Polygraph Examinations
 - Since 1994, USSS Polygraphers have conducted over 8,000 NCMEC related examinations
 - Enhancement and Speaker Identification
 - Video/Photographic Enhancement, Audio Enhancement & Speaker Recognition
 - Questioned Documents
 - Handwriting, Typewriting, Computer Generated/Enhanced Documents, Inks, Toner, Computer Printers, Printing Process, Indented Impressions and Document Alteration
 - Latent Prints
 - Composite Sketches
 - Suspect, Crime Scene, Age Progression and Age Regression
 - Geospatial Information System
 - GIS Specialists analyze spatial locations and organize layers of information into visualizations using maps and 3D scenes to support law enforcement operations.







How to Request Forensic Support

For forensic support of Missing or Exploited Children cases, please contact your local United States Secret Service Field Office at https://www.secretservice.gov/contact/field-offices

To learn more about the Secret Service's partnership with NCMEC:

https://www.secretservice.gov/NCMECpartnership